

Remarks


The Applicant submits an amendment under 37 C.F.R. §1.312 to amend Claims 16, 33, and 37. The claim amendments resolve inadvertent typographical issues in the method claims. These amendments do not impact the scope of any of the claims, and are intended merely to correct informalities. Support for the amendments may be found throughout the originally filed specification. The Amendments are needed for proper protection of the invention, require no substantial amount of additional work on the part of the Office, and require no further search or examination on the Examiner's part. As such, the amendments do not require the application to be withdrawn from allowance or issuance for proper entry.

The Amendments to the Specification are to correct for inadvertent typographical errors and correct reference numerals. No new matter has been entered and the Amendments are needed for proper protection of the invention and require no substantial amount of additional work on the part of the Office. The Applicant also submits Replacement Sheets for Figures 2, 9, and 10 to correct reference numerals. For Figure 2, Replacement Sheet 1 replaces incorrect reference numerals 24 with correct reference to structural elements 21. Replacement Sheet 3 replaces incorrect reference numerals 49 with correct reference to the lateral surface 45 in Figures 9 and 10. The applicant respectfully requests entry of the same.

Fees and Deposit Account

No fee is believed due with the filing of this document, however, in the event the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office determines that other relief is required, Applicants petition for any required relief including extensions of time and authorizes the Commissioner to charge the cost of such petitions and/or other fees due in connection with the filing of this documents to Deposit Account No. 18-2000, of which the undersigned is an authorized signatory.

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